North Haven Conservation Commission September 26,2011 North Haven Recreation Center- Conference Room

Meeting called to order at 7:30pm by Chairman Davis. Present: Sandy Stetson, Mary Mahon, Jim Grillo, Sal Bonito, Hugh Davis. Absent: Dorie Baker

Chairman Davis reported the term of Paul Colella has come to an end and he will not be seeking reappointment. The Commission would like to thank Paul for his many contributions, suggestions and past efforts. Hugh will contact The First Selectmen's Office and offer two names as possible candidates.

Planning Earth Day 2012 will begin at our next meeting. Hazwaste: October 10, 2011. Mary Mahon and Dorie Baker volunteered to help.

Show and Tell: October 15, 2011. 10:00 am - 3:00 pm North Haven High School. This is an excellent opportunity to promote Earth Day 2012 and recruit vendors. A schedule was developed to insure coverage for the entire day. IPM (Integrated Pest Management) is a policy to insure minimum use of pesticides and only as a last resort. State and Town policies ban the use of pesticides on elementary and middle school property. Hugh will talk with DPW to determine which properties they maintain and Mary will talk with a Board of Education member about Board policy regarding IPM.

Next scheduled meeting October 24, 2011. Respectfully submitted, Sal Bonito - Secretary.